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Grayling County

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Mancelona, Gaylord Invade Viking Land This Week

WICK MILLER NOW STATE TROOPER

Having successfully completed a week of intensive training at the Michigan State Police headquarters, Wick Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh H. Miller, of Grayling, has been sworn in as a probationary trooper by Commissioner John A. Childs and assigned to the 1st Post.

Miller and 47 other members of the 2nd Police recruit school class, who were sworn in at Grayling, are now on duty at the Michigan State Police headquarters in Lansing.

Miller served with the U. S. Army and has been serving at Lake St. Clair, Grayling.

Grayling Easily Rolls Over Pellston 65 To 36 As Whole Squad Plays

Grayling, Harbor Springs, Charlevoix Share Lead

The Grayling High Vikings now boasting two conference victories and sharing the lead with Harbor Springs and Charlevoix, are to meet the Mancelona Ironmen on Tuesday and the Gaylord Blue Devils on Friday in the Grayling gym in what will probably prove to be two tough conference battles.

Grayling rolled easily over an inexperienced and green Pellston Hornet squad at Pellston last Friday night. Coach Smith started substituting the first period and used the game to try out various combinations of players and also to experiment with several different defensive and offensive patterns.

In other action in the Northern Class C Conference last Friday night, the Charlevoix Baydewers squeaked out a close 49 to 47 victory over the Gaylord Blue Devils while the Boyne City Ramblers swamped the East Jordan Red Devils by a 69 to 31 score. The towering Harbor Springs Rams blasted the Mancelona Ironmen by a 61 to 44 count. With the second and third periods of conference action in the record books, it begins to look as though Harbor Springs, Boyne City and Grayling are the power teams of this season. Mancelona, Gaylord and East Jordan have not yet come up to preseason predictions but are always dangerous. The Pellston Hornets seem to be the only really weak team in the eight team loop. However, Pellston has the size and ability and with further experience might prove a stumbling block for some conference teams before the season is completed.

With the Christmas holidays coming up next week, all of the teams in the conference are scheduled to play on Friday, December 22. After this, the Vikings' play is completed, better line on the probable conference contenders will be evident.

Friday night, the Vikings drove into a 16 to 3 first period lead and Coach Smith started substitutes moving into the game. In the second quarter Grayling still managed a 14 to 12 edge to hold a 30 to 15 halftime advantage.

The starting five were on the floor to open the second half for Grayling and the Vikings took a 16 to 6 third quarter lead with substitutes playing the final quarter, Grayling still took the period 20 to 15.

Co-captain Bob Strong with 19 points garnered on seven field goals and 6 out of 8 free throws led the Vikings attack. Julius Welch added 14. Co-captain Dave Lowe 8, Bill Martin and Joe Lowe 4 each. Tony Doremire 3, Don Roberts 4, and Don Campbell 2. Pat Cabaun with 12 points was high for the Hornets. The final score came from 24 field goals and free throws. The Hornets scored on 10 field goals and 16 free throws.

Reserve coach Art Thayer was also able to empty his bench as all but one of his squad of 15 got all or part of the action. Grayling easily won 61 to 25. The Vikings held a 27 to 14 halftime edge. Roger Hatfield with 27 points was high for Grayling. Oscar Hornung, John Isenbauer 4 and Newt Alton, Leon D'Ameur and Don Leslie each adding 2. McClutchy with 13 was high for the little Hornets.

City To Offer Cash Prizes In Christmas Lighting Contest

The City of Grayling as last year has announced a Christmas lighting and decorating contest. Cash prizes this year will be \$100. A total of 10 prizes will be offered to both business and home owners. City Manager Carl Carlson has announced.

Prizes have tentatively been set for first place both in business and home, second place in business, and a prize for the best business display. There will be two classes with all of the prizes mentioned receiving \$100.

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P.T.A. Notice!

The P.T.A. will meet Monday, December 18, at 7:30 P. M. (Please note time).

There will be a Christmas party and a meeting. The meeting will be held at the Grayling High School. The party will be held at the Grayling High School.

27 Country Students At Central Michigan

Mt. Pleasant—27 students from Crawford County are among the 3,530 enrolled for campus courses this fall at Central Michigan College.

Central Michigan students come from 76 Michigan counties, nine states, and four other countries. There are seven students from Illinois, four from Wisconsin, three from Ohio, and one each from Alabama, Kansas, Maine, Missouri, New York and Pennsylvania.

Students from outside the United States are from Hawaii, Canada, China, Japan and South America.

Crawford students are: Frederick James A. Madill.

Grayling: Hans A. Andrews, Joanne M. Andrews, Arvelle Armstrong, Marvin N. Blaski, James L. Bond, Frances L. Cady, Carolyn D. Deyette, Elmer L. Fenelon, Laura T. Giegling, Leota C. Harrod, Elery R. Hornung, John R. Jackson, Barbara N. Johnson, Roger L. Kessler, Elmer L. Kinross, James M. Klein, William K. Klein, Robert R. Lovely, Robert L. Klein, Robert E. McEvers, Richard G. Reava, Sally J. Smith, Katherine C. Smyth, Mary J. Wakeley.

Roscommon: Richard L. Billman, Dorothy I. Means.

Theodore George Davenport of Grayling was among the 32 seniors at Central Michigan College selected to represent the College in the 1956-57 Edition of Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities.

Kiwanis Club Notes

Over 50 Kiwanians, their wives and guests enjoyed a dinner dance Monday evening at the Chalet at Lake Valley Resort. The affair was chairmanned by Richard DuBois and William Mosher.

Next Monday evening, the club will meet as usual at Shopping Plaza Inn for their monthly following dinner. The Grayling High School where they and members of the Grayling Womens Club will be distributing Christmas gifts to the underprivileged children in the area on Christmas Eve.

WHAT - WHERE - WHEN

Dec. 13 — Hospital Aid 1:30 at the Nurses' Home.

Dec. 13 — Grayling Rebekah Lodge will hold their regular business meeting at the Legion Hall at 8 p. m.

Dec. 15 — O.E.S. and Masons family Christmas party. Pot-luck dinner with a dish to table service and a dish to table service and a dish to table service.

Dec. 17 — The Home Extension Group 5 Christmas party. Meet Mrs. Clayton Brinkley at Mrs. Herbert Stephan's at 8:00 P. M.

Dec. 17 — Woman's Club Christmas party at Mrs. Herb Wolff's home at 8:30. Follow the Glee Club Cantata. Note: Hour change. Bring \$1.00 gift for change. Bring \$1.00 gift for change.

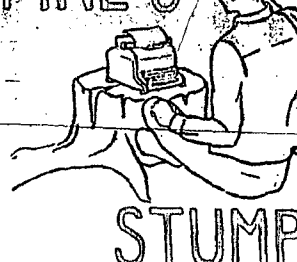
Dec. 18 — St. Mary's Ladies Club 8 p. m. St. Mary's High. Christmas party and regular meeting. Each member bring \$50 gift.

Dec. 18 — Mary Martha Circle Christmas party at M. M. church. Bring \$50 gift.

Dec. 19 — party at Mrs. Alvin Jensen's. For rides meet at 7:30 P. M.

Dec. 20 — St. Mary's Pre-school children's Christmas party 4:00 p. m. school children's party.

JACK PINE'S STUMP



It's a little bit late for election stories, but I got one in the mail recently that struck me as quite good. A very true story, it seems like one man asked another for whom he intended to vote. "Adlai," he answered. "Why?" asked the first man. "Well," said the other, "I voted for him in the last election. . . and I never had it so good before."

—JP—

The other day a woman was quite amazed with herself. Seemed that one thing led to another and she ended up doing ALL of her Christmas shopping in Grayling. Now this isn't unusual, but in her case it was the first time that she just hadn't ASSUMED that she couldn't get what she needed locally. It is really an education to poke around the dark corners of some of the local stores. I know that every time I go into Dad Hanson's, (which is almost a daily occurrence), I see something different. . . something that I think is new but has actually been there for quite some time.

—JP—

Everyone was happy with Saturday's Window Shopping Day in Grayling except the merchants. . . in Grayling, Traverse City, Detroit Bay City, Grand Rapids and Lansing. It seems that a swiftness of that Good Grayling money is staying home this year.

—JP—

For several weeks now Jack Pine has torn his Avalanche shreds looking for the weeks of Christmas shopping in Grayling. He has been looking for the weeks of Christmas shopping in Grayling. He has been looking for the weeks of Christmas shopping in Grayling.

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Met a man all in a high thunderous dudgeon the other day. Seems that he feels that some of the local merchants are missing the boat on selling automobiles. He tells me that he has seen other cities south of here. . . even in Traverse City. . . new cars can be bought at half the price they can in Grayling. Now I don't know if that is so or not, but I do know that the Grayling dealers seem to have good sales on cars, and I don't particularly remember any recent fire sale in Grayling. Maybe there were and I just didn't notice.

—JP—

It's Christmas card time, and on this writing several of us are constantly pulling them down to look at, admire try to read, and generally dirty up with their grubby little hands. But I think the nicest cards we get are not cards at all, cards are letters and the nicest letters are those which are gifts in themselves. A gift, in this sense, is a little bit of personality of the writer, a thought of thankfulness for all the blessings and particularly for the friendship and respect, and love in the larger sense of the word one person holds for another. To write each a letter is not easy, to receive one is an unalloyed pleasure. It makes a much nicer Christmas gift than anything you might find in a store. Because you're giving of yourself, not of your pocketbook. And it's so much harder to give of yourself.

—JP—

According to INS, down in Tucson, Arizona, a Gorman shepherd dog went into a near state of shock after sinking his teeth into the leg of an auxiliary deputy sheriff. After he bit the deputy's leg, the dog was shot and killed. The deputy was not hurt.

—JP—

Had some comments on my mind about Deer Herd Control and other associated high velocity items, but decided to wait until after Christmas. Even the Conservation Commission is entitled to have some relief during the Holiday Season.

JACK-PINE

Kiddies Free Movie Saturday

Tow To Run This Weekend At Sports Park

A ski tow will be in operation this weekend at the Grayling Winter Sports Park providing that the weather cooperates. The following 12 numbers will comprise the program: "Rise O' Song", Chorus; "A King Shall Reign", Men's chorus; "The Song of Hope", chorus; "The First Christmas Carol", Women's chorus; "The Song of the Morning", chorus; "To Bethlehem Draw Near", Women's and Men's chorus; "Let Heaven and Nature Sing", chorus; "The Lullaby Hymn", Mezzo-Soprano solo; Bobbie Jorgensen and chorus; "The Music of the Bells", chorus and Soprano Obligato; "The March of the Magi", Men's chorus and chorus; "Hallelujah", chorus; "The Music of Bethlehem", chorus.

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Officers of the Glee Club are: President, Karen Gothro, Kathy Thompson, Patti McNeil, Judy Kenyon, Kay Stephan, Ann Stark, Kay LaMotte, Deanne Herick, Laurette Long, Elaine Goss, Karen Carlson, Vivian Fenton, Barbara Corneli.

TO PRESENT CHRISTMAS CANTATA

"The Music of Bethlehem" by Fred B. Holton is the title of the Christmas Cantata to be presented by the Grayling High School Glee Club under the direction of Mrs. Roy Milnes at the Grayling Gymnasium on Monday, December 17th. The Cantata will begin at 7:30 o'clock in the evening.

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Movies To Run From 2:00 Until 4:00 P. M. At New Legion Hall

Herb Wolff is in Charge Of Movies

The Grayling merchants belonging to the Grayling Business and Professional Association are presenting yet another feature in their planned Christmas program this Saturday afternoon. This week's special event is free movies for the kiddies which will give Mom and Dad a chance to shop for Christmas while their children are being entertained safely. Herb Wolff is in charge of the program and will screen the movies for the children.

The movies will be shown in the banquet room at the Grayling Legion Hall on US-27 south of the city. The movies will get underway at 2 p. m. and will last until 4 p. m. This will give Mom and Dad 2 hours to do some of their Christmas shopping while the kids are having their children along with them.

Of course, as always on Saturdays in Grayling, Santa Claus will be on the streets handing out treats which entitle each child to a free chance on the big gift which will be given away by Santa on Saturday, December 22nd. All the child must do is fill out the card and deposit it in a box in one of the stores belonging to the Association.

Kids have you seen the big gift? It will be on display the rest of this week and next in the following stores: R.C.D., Barnard's, Grayling Mercantile and Burns Hardware and Furniture.

It is a real giant-sized gift. A tractor which the child can peddle as a tricycle. No that's not all, a scoop shovel is mounted on the front of the tractor and a two-wheeled trailer is attached to the back. It is a gift that any child would be extremely happy to have. Last Saturday's Grayling Window Shoppers' Day brought a lot of people into town and many of them received some very nice gifts free.

40 et 8 Society Initiates 20, Installs Officers

Due to the efforts of Alfred Hanson, retired businessman, Grayling now has a local chapter of the 40 et 8 Society made up of Helen, Cleveland, St. Ignace, Grand Rapids, and four counties of Crawford, Roscommon, Ogemaw and Oscoda.

Installation of officers was held Saturday night at the Legion Club. The installing officer was Larry Flinn, Grand Chef de Gare, of Flint.

Officers of Voiture 1495, are as follows:

Chief de Gare, Harold E. Gault, St. Helen; Chef de Train, Fred Marx, Prudenville; Sous Chef de Gare, Edward D. Smith, St. Ignace; Correspondent, John B. Townner, West Branch; Commissaire, John B. Townner, West Branch; Conducateur, Ken Moore, Grayling; Garde de la Porte, Harold Hanson, Grayling; Legationnaire, William G. Tyrrell, Prudenville; Commiss Vagayeur, George Morrison, Grayling; Avocat, O. J. Sturge Prudenville; Ammoniter, Alvin H. Roscommon; Maitre, Ralph Hoffman, Grayling; Publiciste, Alfred Hanson, Grayling; Cheministe Locaux, Edward Oliver, St. Ignace; H. B. Martin, West Branch; Louis Myers, St. Ignace; Clemens, Grayling; James Post, Grayling.

Sunday afternoon Voiture 1116 of Flint brought up their locomotive and boxcar for the initiation ceremonies held at the Grayling High School gym. Initiation officers are known as the "wrecking crew". Twenty candidates, "Poor Goofs", were wrecked, including two from Saginaw.

A banquet was served in the Legion Club after the wreck, with 90 guests. The Flint gang entertained with music and singing in the Club Saturday night. Bill Flinn of Grayling blew "Taps" at the close of the ceremonies in the High School gym. The following Grayling wrecker were wrecked: Dr. Ralph Hoffman, John Bell, James F. Wakeley, Ralph Redhead, Philip Payment, Arthur Worden, Richard Rasmussen, Larry Roscommon, Herbert Staltenberg and Ken Moore.

The Society's state officers installed the local officers and assisted in the initiation. The state officers are: Grand Chef de Gare, Larry Leskin of Flint; Grand Chef de Train, Fred Marx of St. Ignace; Grand Correspondent, John Beagle of Flint; Grand Historian, Roy M. Hodge of Detroit; Grand Publiciste, C. A. Widenhoefer of the Soo; Voiture Activities Olin Riker of Flint.

The city of Grayling was complimented on its fine gymnasium and Legion Home by the visitors, who came from Detroit, Flint, Saginaw, Big Rapids, Cadillac, the Soo, Traverse City, St. Ignace, West Branch, St. Helen, Prudenville and Houghton Lake.

The 40 et 8 was named for a French word which means "the World War I soldiers rode, which held 40 men and 8 horses—hence La Societe des 40 Hommes et 8 Chevaux". The society is known as the "fun" organization of the American Legion. One must be a legionnaire who has performed some outstanding service to the Legion in order to become a member, and candidates are nominated by the Legion. It has a sub purpose, however, that of raising money for deceased veterans' families and child welfare. It also sponsors the training of a girl from the local territory in nursing each three or four years. Twenty-four of the fifty-one chapter members are from Grayling.

Legion To Hold Eleventh Annual Kids Christmas Party, Dec. 21st

The 11th annual Grayling Post 106, American Legion's Kiddies Christmas party will be held in the new meeting room of the new Legion Post Building on US-27 on Friday afternoon, December 21st. This will be the second such party to be held at the new Legion Building as the preceding ten Christmas fetes have been held in the old Legion Hall on Peninsular avenue.

The kids party will take place in the newly constructed Legion meeting and dining hall which was just finished a year ago. In view of the larger quarters this year's party will be held in only five sections.

The party will get underway at 1 p. m. with all children from three years old and children up to and including the 5th grade from the Grayling schools, Lovell, Maple Forest and Fredrick Townships. Friday morning. The truck was being operated by David L. Cook, 49, of Grayling who was not injured. The accident was investigated by Deputy Sheriff Rola Felling.

Herbert L. Schilbe, 68, of Grayling paid a fine and costs of \$25.00 and \$6.25 to Justice of the Peace Art Clough last Friday after entering a guilty plea to a charge of being drunk and driving. Schilbe was arrested by State Police on Thursday.

Glee Club To Present Carols Downtown

Weather permitting, the entire Grayling High school choral group will present a twenty-minute program of Christmas carols on Wednesday, December 19th, at 7:30 p. m. in front of the Grayling State Savings Bank, which is sponsoring the event. There will be about 60 students taking part in this presentation, under the direction of Mrs. Roy Milnes, director.

This many voices should provide enough volume to be heard so remember the date and enjoy some true Christmas spirit.

Free Methodist Church

The Free Methodist church will be having their Christmas program Thursday, December 20th, at 7:30 p. m. at the church. The public is welcome.

Mrs. Harold Long and her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Cassell left Monday to visit their brother and son, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cassell, in Rochester. They expect to return on Saturday.

US-27 Accident Injures One

Jesse A. Moyer, 45, of Boyne City suffered head injuries and was taken to Grayling Mercy Hospital last Friday as the result of a highway mishap. Moyer drove into the rear of a Crawford County Road Commission truck that was sanding the highway about 2 1/2 miles south of Grayling on Friday morning. The truck was being operated by David L. Cook, 49, of Grayling who was not injured. The accident was investigated by Deputy Sheriff Rola Felling.

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FROM UNDER THE MILK WEED . . .

Dear Friend:

The other day while we were making plans for next Monday evening, the big musical event of the year, I was stricken with a feeling of oppression. Over the question "What's wrong?" came over me, and for hours I worried the matter in my mind. Were we finally satiated to such a degree that we could no longer take pleasure in anticipating a simple thing like a tree? Had we already so much that we no longer had desires for more? "What's wrong?" The old Christmas gaiety had been replaced by—by what? Fatigue? Yes, but more than that. Staleness? Perhaps, that too. But something else.

Then suddenly I knew. I feel guilty. I have everything I really need, a warm house, an assurance of food, good winter wraps, enough books and records, and bangles to last me a lifetime, besides, what is most important of all, the certainty that these things will be here tomorrow. They say, "What did you do to help?" While one child is hungry, we are guilty. While one child is cold we are ashamed. You and I, friend, belong to the only country in the world with the leadership and the money necessary to help. You and I, friend, are two. But look what we can do.

With what we spend for egg nog on the holidays a child could buy a coat. Our two trees which we'll throw out would keep two families warm Christmas eve. The endless, useless rattles and dolls and earrings we'll buy would keep a family a month. The money we spend on greeting cards would furnish a youngster with picnic.

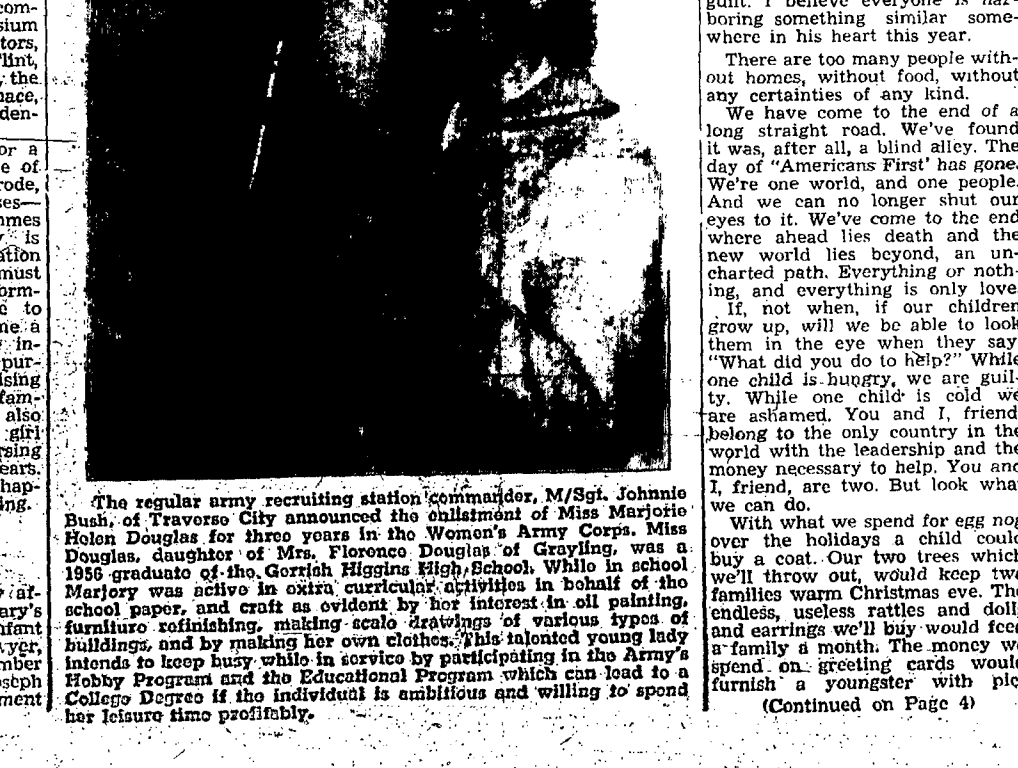
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Lake Margrethe Home Extension Group Meets

The Lake Margrethe Home Extension Group held their annual Christmas meeting at the home of Mrs. James McGee last week with a turkey dinner with all the trimmings. Gifts were exchanged and games played. Prizes were won over Mrs. Don Jensen and Mrs. Lois Collen.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. John McMillan on Monday, January 7th.

Mrs. Bernard Hall is a new emcee at Dawson.



Valley Resort Dance

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Our Weather

December Fish Hatchery			
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5	38	22	
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10	30	3"	

RED CROSS CHAPTERS ASKED FOR FUNDS

A plea for a donation of ninety one dollars for Hungarian relief has been received by the Crawford County Red Cross Chapter. Our chapter immediately forwarded \$100.00 for this cause.

A special drive for funds will not be made. Anyone wishing to make a donation may mail their contribution to Mrs. Leo Jorgensen, 407 Maple Street, Grayling.

Fraser Service Read For Infant

Prayers were read Monday afternoon at 3:30 at St. Mary's church for Tim Edward, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Sawyer, who was born Friday, December 7th, 1956. The Rev. Fr. Joseph Sakowski officiated. Interment was in Elmwood Cemetery.

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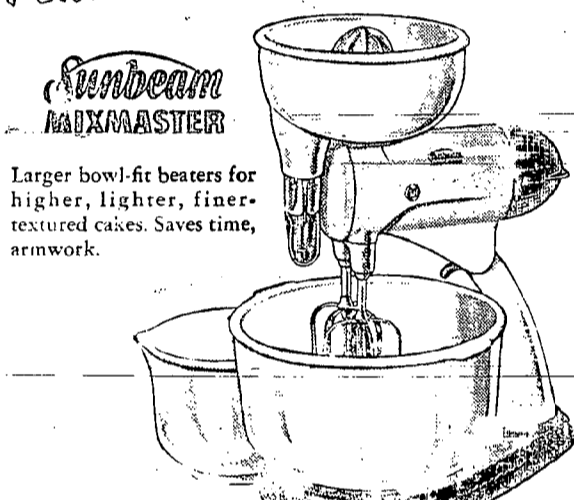
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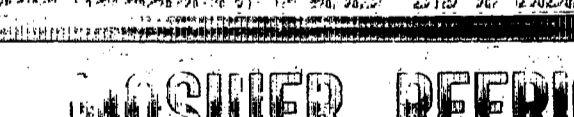
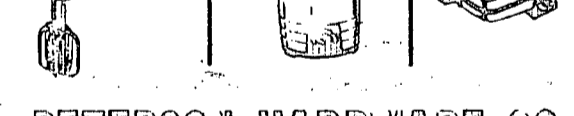
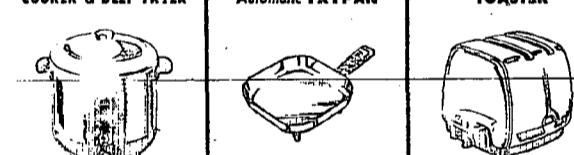
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G. O. C. BIDS POST SUPERVISOR ADIEU

It is with deep regret that we, the members of the G. O. C., say goodbye to Mrs. Alice Pratt. It was from Mrs. Pratt's untiring efforts that the post was established and put into operation. She has served not only us, but our community, state, and nation. Trips to Grand Rapids, Empire and Kinross Air Base were made possible to us again through her efforts and the cooperation of the U. S. A. F.

From these trips the Observers have a better understanding of the importance of their work. Ground Observer volunteers are doing their part to protect the United States against the possibility of enemy attacks. It may seem to be a small role in the defense of our country, but nonetheless, it is an important one. In the 13 months that we have been on duty Mrs. Pratt has obtained nearly 1,000 hours of her credit. As is ever true, so few are doing so much.

Mrs. Pratt was active in getting a new location and post. It is true that Alice was a tireless, energetic, and enthusiastic worker. We shall all feel her loss and know that when she is located in Bay City that the Ground Observers there will welcome her.

So again we say good bye to Alice and hope that it will be possible for her to return in the near future.

With the departure of Mrs. Pratt, the new Chief Observer is Mrs. Lucille Wales. Sgt. States has appointed Mrs. Long new Post Supervisor. Anyone interested in joining our post please contact me for any information you may want — 3221. There is no pay in connection with this work; other than the satisfaction we feel. Knowing we are an important and integral part of the first line of defense of our country is more than any monetary remuneration could meet. Our pay is the thanks of a grateful nation. We are helping — Won't You?

Supervisor Edith Long

AVALANCHE TO PUBLISH BABSON'S FINANCIAL FORECAST



Roger W. Babson

The Crawford County Avalanche will publish Babson's Business and Financial Forecast for 1957 on Thursday, December 27. You will find it on page one.

A careful checking of the Babson Predictions made in the Business and Financial Forecast for 1956 upholds the remarkable accuracy of the best years by being 85% correct! Below is the score for the last eighteen years. It holds the best and highest record for Annual Forecasts on U. S. Future Business.

Forecast For	% Accurate
1936	85
1935	84
1934	86
1933	84
1932	88
1931	86
1930	81
1929	80
1928	91
1927	93
1926	95
1925	87
1924	91
1923	94
1922	86
1921	78
1920	76
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Watch for Babson's Business and Financial Forecast for 1957 in our issue of December 27th.

THANKS

We wish to thank everyone who contributed to our Bazaar and Bake Sale and all others who helped to make it a success. Grayling Lutheran Church Committee

Bits O' Talk

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gierke and Mrs. Earl Nelson spent Saturday in Bay City. Mr. and Mrs. Alva Stephan and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Stephan drove to Grand Rapids Tuesday of last week, where the ladies remained to visit the latter's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Clem Bement. The men continued on to Chicago on business, returning to pick up their wives and come home last Thursday.

The Irving Moltsaacs visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Moltsaacs in Bay City on Sunday.

FOR MEN ONLY! Remember fellows on Thursday night, December 20th, it is Stag Night at the Pink Lady. We'll be open til 10 p. m., for your convenience and it's for male customers only.

Joseph Pratt is to meet his son Robert, who is flying up from Portsmouth, Va. next Sunday, December 16th in Bay City. Bob has been on the U.S.S. Iowa, and will enjoy an 18-day leave here with his parents.

Mrs. Alice Pratt left Sunday to spend the winter in Bay City, where she has employment.

Brad Stephan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Al Stephan, and Editor of the E. M. C.'s yearbook "The Cardinal," with other members of the staff, spent December 6, 7, 8 and 9 in Alabama, attending a yearbook workshop.

Mrs. Leo Jorgenson and Mrs. George Quinen spent Wednesday of last week working in the gift shop of the Veterans' Administration Hospital. Volunteer Legion Auxiliary members wrap gifts picked out by hospitalized veterans. These gifts are purchased for the veterans with poppy funds, each Legion unit sending a certain number of gifts to the shop. Mrs. Jorgenson and Mrs. Quinen also paid a short visit to the latter's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Bell, and father, Joseph Vogt, while in Lansing.

To taxpayers in Maple Forest Township, I am living at 709 Park St. in Grayling. Will take in taxes there, or send by mail to Route 1, Frederic, Mich. Pearl M. Babitt, Treasurer.

Ward Ellison attended a government course for county officials, pertaining to the duties of prosecuting attorneys, at Michigan State University Tuesday, Wednesday and today. Mrs. Ellison accompanied her husband to East Lansing.

A. L. Roberts, Mrs. Roberts and her mother, Mrs. Elva Barrie, left Sunday for Flint, where the ladies will visit the Roberts' daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Harvey, and Mrs. Roberts' sister, Mrs. Edna Blair. Mr. Roberts continued on to East Lansing where he made a talk on the duties of county supervisors at Michigan State University, while attending supervisors' meetings. They are expected to return this coming weekend. Mrs. Leo Jorgenson attended an 8 and 40 meeting and Christmas party in West Branch last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wilson of Detroit visited their daughter and family, the Charles Muths, weekend before last.

Have I heard remounted for Christmas this year at Davis Jewelry.

Mrs. James Verilme was hostess at a Sandra party at her home last Thursday evening, at which Miss Opal Hamblin was the demonstrator.

Mrs. Kip Papendick, Mrs. Clarence Papendick, Mrs. Frank May, Mrs. William Heric and Mrs. William Jensen and Mrs. Eugene Papendick spent Tuesday of last week in Traverse City.

Mrs. C. R. Keyport, Mrs. Robert Hayes and daughter Susan spent the weekend in Kalamazoo.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bielski and Miss Deanne Horrick drove to Mt. Pleasant Thursday night to watch Central Michigan College win a basketball game from Calvin College.

Mrs. Ervin Snively, in renewing her subscription to the Avalanche writes: "I see in the paper that Grayling is making gala preparations for the Holiday season. Only wish we could be there. Hello to all our friends there and best wishes to you and yours. Merry Christmas and Happy New Year."

Mr. and Mrs. Laverne Huntington of Eaton Rapids visited their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Joseph, Wednesday and last Thursday.

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Mrs. Don Gothro and daughter Mary Ann, and Mrs. Dale Pettengill returned Saturday from a four-day visit downstate. Mrs. Pettengill visited her sister-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Spaulding in Perry, while Mrs. Gothro and Mary Ann stayed with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Martin in Lansing. They were accompanied home by Dale Pettengill, Jr., who is on vacation from MSU.

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POSTMASTERS URGE EARLY MAILING

Postmasters, Letha A. Leng of Frederic and James Post of Grayling said today that while the Post Office still has a tremendous job ahead of it, efforts are being redoubled to deliver all mail on time and in good condition by Christmas Eve. They point out that by taking a little extra care with your Christmas mailings now, you avoid disappointing friends and loved ones at Christmas time.

They ask for your special cooperation to be sure that your return address and the recipient's address is plainly typed or written on all labels and Christmas cards. Use one number, and it's a good idea to include an extra label inside your packages. Parcel Post size and weight limitations vary according to destination. Ask about them when you go to the Post Office to buy stamps.

Speaking about stamps, the Postmasters said: "Use three-cent postage on your Christmas cards. This way they will be delivered promptly, and forwarded or returned, if necessary, providing you include your name and address on each card. Use Christmas envelopes." First-Class postage on your Christmas cards enables you to include handwritten messages, thus making your Christmas greetings more personal. By including your name and address on each Christmas card envelope, both you and your friends can keep your mailing lists up-to-date.

The postmasters urge that you mail all of your out-of-town Christmas cards and packages immediately, and certainly not later than December 15th. Christmas mail for local addresses should be started on its way at least a week before Christmas.

You can do both yourself and the Post Office a real favor by securing free labels at the Post Office which read "All For Out of Town Delivery" and "All For Local Delivery." Place these labels on bundles of cards for local addresses and on those for out-of-town destinations.

Try to mail your out-of-town Christmas cards and packages several days in advance of those for local delivery and those for nearby points should all be mailed by at least a week before Christmas.

The cooperation of all business firms in postponing the mailing of circulars and catalogs until after December 25th is requested.

The Postmasters expressed their thanks for the excellent response to their "Mail Early" appeals to date, but warn, that only by stepping up all mailing of Christmas packages and cards immediately, can the record mail load be processed and delivered on time.

Home Extension News

A Christmas Workshop for all home extension members and their friends was held Tuesday, November 27th at the Grayling Township Hall. The all-day meeting dealt with ideas for Christmas gifts and table decorations. Miss Jane Venable, Home Demonstration agent from Kalamazoo, conducted the workshop. The meeting recessed for lunch at a local restaurant at noon. An excellent turnout of extension members was present.



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Stevenson-Brown reports the sale of a '56 Cadillac, Model 6227 to Fred Bremer; a '57 Cadillac, Model 6239 to Leslie and Ella Jackson; an '88 Olds Holiday sedan to Sam Rasmussen; a 2-door 150 Chevrolet to Richard and Patricia Wakeley; a 210 four-door Chevrolet to Alfred Armstrong of Frederic; a Chevrolet Del Rio coupe to Mrs. Leola Harrod; a 2-door Chevrolet 150 to Gerald Burns of Traverse City; a 210 Chevrolet, 4-door to Warner and Virginia Pratt; a Chevrolet 210 station wagon to Richard Rasmussen; a Chevrolet truck model 6109 to Jack Millikin; a Chevrolet truck model 4409 to T. P. Peterson.

Leng's Garage in Frederic sold a Plymouth 8, 4-door to Gayle D. Betts of Lewistown; a Dodge 8, 4-door to Henry Smith; a Dodge 8, 4-door to Edward Measel. Welsh Motor Sales sold a '57 Ford Custom 300 4-door to Miss Bette Harney, and a '57 Ford Fairlane 500 club Victoria to Frank DeCaire.

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ie Revolt That Didn't Happen . . .

Prior to the election, many people felt that disaffection on the part of farmers might prove very costly, in terms of votes, to President Eisenhower. Much political fire was centered on the Administration, and particularly Secretary Benson, for favoring flexible supports against high and rigid supports.

The "farm revolt" simply did not happen. The President ran with great strength in the principal farming regions.

Why it did not happen is susceptible to several answers. For one thing, as Farm Journal said in its November issue, "Outside drought areas, most farmers, though not all, have been doing pretty well . . . considerably better than a year ago." For another, recent years have witnessed a strengthening, not a weakening, of the institution of the family farm, which is certainly ill to the good. For a third, the government supports apply to only six so-called basic crops and, as Secretary Benson has effectively pointed out, are of primary benefit to big commercial-type farms rather than to the smaller family farms.

There may well be still another reason that is more compelling than any of these. Many farmers must realize that no nation is rich enough to continue indefinitely to build up government-bought surpluses—and many must realize, on the grounds of both experience and theory, that when government does the paying, government also does the bossing. Some leading farm groups, in fact, have long recognized this. The livestock producers, for instance, have steadfastly opposed government supports and controls, even in times of severe economic straits.

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In Grayling 23 Years Ago

Interesting Items of News
Gathered From the Files of
the Avalanche of 23
Years Ago.

December 14, 1933

Last Monday saw the final approval of several more CWA projects for Crawford County. Among them are appropriations for Grayling school and for storm sewers in Grayling and for Grayling civic parks. To Secretary M. A. Bates of Grayling school trustees belongs the credit for taking the initiative in securing a grant for improving the school house and grounds. The work and materials for that project amount to a cost of \$5,833. The sum of \$2,500 will be for redecorating the interior of the school building. The sum of \$800 is set aside for tree surgery and the planting and transplanting of trees in the school yard. At the time the old school building burned January 21st, 1915, many

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of the fine maple trees near the building, except for three damaged. Damaged portion will be cut away and the bark shaped so that eventually it will recover the trunk of the tree. This work will be under supervision of Arthur Clough, a graduate of the Davey tree surgery institution. \$1,200 is appropriated for changes in the plumbing in the building, and new fixtures installed. This will be directed by Frank Decker, well known plumber in Grayling for nearly a half century. Completion of the school basement will cost an estimated \$800. Work was started on the school job Tuesday morning and the whole job must be finished by February 15th. School will close this Friday, December 15th, for the holiday season and will not open until about four weeks later, thus enabling the workmen to work without interruption. An appropriation of \$12,670 has been made for construction of storm sewers in the village. The sum of \$5,197.80 has been appropriated for improvement of the City park system. Ernest Borchers of the Grayling Greenhouse, has laid out a landscape plan. The new park lies along US-27 on both sides of the Ausable River, and includes the land on the south side of the river and east of the highway, known as the ashery.

East Jordan's veteran team won a 16-13 decision over the Grayling High School basketball team in an excellent exhibition of the court game last Friday night. In the preliminary the Cohen-coached reserves won from Grayling's Cubs by a count of 30-14.

Mr. and Mrs. William Minner are enjoying a visit from Guy Reed of Hart.

The Grayling A & P Store having lost in a coffee contest to the Gaylord A & P Store, entertained the latter's force at a banquet at the Wayside Inn at Lake Margaret Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus Macaulay and children of Standish visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Cameron over the weekend. They were accompanied by Mrs. William Butler and her granddaughter Stella Shepherd, of the same place.

Six hundred seventeen men and women have been registered in the village of Grayling and Grayling township for the Head tax.

Two hundred seventy men and women in other townships have been registered. Mrs. Adolph Peterson and Mrs. J. L. Martin visited in Vanderbilt Tuesday.

Mrs. Earl Hewitt was hostess to her division of St. Mary's Card club at her home last evening. Mrs. Liland Smock held the high score for the club and Mrs. Thomas Cassidy won the guest prize in bridge. A delicious lunch was served by the hostess.

Lieut. John Libcke, of Detroit, has been appointed to take the place of Lieut. M. Piper at the Allan Conservation Corps Camp.

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Ausable 681, and the latter is leaving here Sunday next. Mrs. Libcke will make her home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hanson here while her husband is in camp.

Jesse Schoonover and Harry Reynolds are attending the Buick Motor Car show in Saginaw today and tomorrow.

Mrs. Emil Giegling and Mrs. Roy Milnes spent last Thursday in Petoskey where they visited Mrs. Carl Peterson.

Mrs. Esbern-Hanson left Sunday for Detroit, to spend a few days there with her son, Esbern Hanson, Jr.

The customary community Christmas tree has been placed at the intersection of Michigan and Peninsular Avenues and other trees for decorative purposes at US-27 and Norway Street. Merchants are falling in line and trimming their windows and places of business and the business section is taking on a holiday air.

There was an enthusiastic response to Director E. G. Clark's call for volunteers to form a Junior band, and a large number attended the meeting held at the band hall last week. He had 34 sign up, however, not all are financially able to buy the required instruments. But there is to be a Junior band of boys and girls among whom he discovered a lot of good talent.

Some fifty ladies and gentlemen enjoyed a social gathering of the Friday club at the home of Mrs. Albert Knibbs, Friday evening. The Tuesday previous was Mrs. Knibbs' birthday anniversary and the members remembered it and each brought a small gift, among which were some comical ones. For pastime cards were in order and Mrs. Jerry Sherman and Mrs. George Clise carried off the honors in pedro and Mrs. Paul

Feldhauser and Mrs. Sidney Ro-barge, for piano. Everyone present had an enjoyable time.

Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Younken and children Robert and Ruth, who have been making their home with Mrs. Younken's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rasmus Rasmussen for some time, have gone to North Carolina to reside. They left last Thursday for Flint to visit the Ed-ward Creque family before continuing their journey south.

Miss Jayne Keyport, who is attending Ward-Belmont, at Nashville, Tenn., will arrive home on Sunday to spend three weeks Christmas vacation with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. R. Keyport.

Clayton Strachly announces a golden wedding anniversary of his brother, John Strachly and wife on Sunday, December 3rd. They reside at 503 North Prospect St., Sturgis, Mich. Mr. and Mrs. Strachly have visited in Grayling and their local acquaintances will join in hearty congratulations and best wishes.

46 YEARS AGO
December 15, 1910
Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Aebli, Tuesday, Dec. 6, a daughter.

Mrs. Hugh Oaks and children have returned from a three weeks visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Wicks, at Flint, Mich.

Our neighbors around Gaylord are blessed with fully three feet of snow.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Feldhauser left Monday morning for Traverse City to attend the annual meeting of the State Grange.

J. K. Bates attended the state meeting of Poor Commissioners at Lansing last week, and reports a pleasant, as well as an instructive session.

Dr. C. R. Keyport, of Detroit (Continued on Page 6)

From where I sit . . . by Joe Marsh

Just Call Me Cupid

The counter down at Pete's was full yesterday, except for three seats near the end, so I plunked myself down on the middle one. As I took my first sip of coffee a cute young couple came in—a girl in her early twenties followed by a fellow perhaps a year or two older. Without saying a word, they took the only two seats left on either side of me.

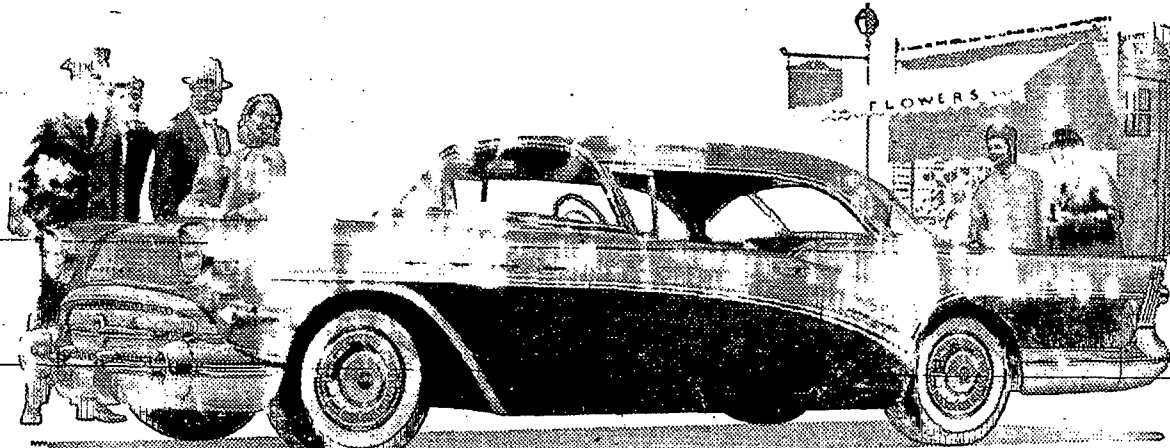
Remembering my younger days, I insisted the young man take my seat so they could be together. He hesitated at first, then finally he shrugged, grinned

and said to the girl, "Well, let's make him happy. My name's 'Ricky'. What's yours?"

From where I sit, there was no harm done that time, but jumping to conclusions can be embarrassing. In fact, it's sometimes mean and intolerant—like the way some folks jump to the conclusion a man's "wrong" to prefer a glass of beer over another beverage. Lack of facts coupled with lack of judgment introduces trouble.

Joe Marsh

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FOR SALE—Willis 52 Arco Lark, radio, heater, new tires. A good buy, \$325.00. Thomas B. Taylor, Waters, Mich. 13-20-57

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Scores of games played on December 8: Peanuts, 33; Spartans, 4; Wildcats, 22; Braves, 6; Shrimps, 11; Swishers, 11.

JUMBO LEAGUE

Team W L Pct. Points
Shur-Shots 2 0 1.000 1.000
Wildcats 1 1 .500 .500
Stephan's Stars 1 1 .500 .500
Comets 1 1 .500 .500
Roadsters 0 2 .000 .000

Last games were played in the Jumbo League on December 5. The Hornets defeated the Roadsters by a 34 to 20 score with Teddy Horning of the Hornets netting 16 pts. The Shur-Shots tripped the Comets by a 46 to 37 count with Frank Gross of the Shur-Shots hitting for 26 points. Bill Stephan with 17 points led the Stephan's Stars to a 27 to 9 victory over the Wildcats.

LEGAL NOTICES

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate office, in the City of Grayling in said County, on the 10th day of December A. D. 1956.

Present, Honorable Beulah Neafie, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Gordon A. Butman, Deceased.

Adelaide Butman having filed in said Court her petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to Howard Brighton of Roscommon, Michigan, or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 31st day of December A. D. 1956 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once each week for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford County Avalanche a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

Beulah Neafie Judge of Probate

A true copy: Beulah Neafie Judge of Probate Charles E. Moore Attorney Grayling, Mich. 13-20-57

(Annual republication required by statute of order previously adopted by the Conservation Commission.)

State of Michigan - Order of the Conservation Commission - Regulating Fishing in AuSable River, Crawford County.

The Conservation Commission, by authority of Act 230, P. A. 1925 as amended, hereby orders that, all orders to the contrary notwithstanding, for a period of two years, from January 1, 1956, it shall be unlawful in the main stream of the AuSable River downstream from Burton's Landing in Section 11, T. 26 N., R. 3 W., Wakeley Bridge in Section 12, T. 26 N., R. 3 W., Crawford County, to fish with any lure except artificial flies, or to take or possess any trout less than ten inches in length, or to take or possess more than five trout in any combination, but not more than ten pounds and one trout.

For the purpose of these regulations, the term "artificial fly" shall be defined as any form of either a "dry fly" or "wet fly" as ordinarily used in fishing for trout, and which shall not have attached thereto or used in connection therewith any type of fishing lure of whatsoever kind or description when fishing in waters that are restricted to the use of artificial flies only.

Signed, sealed, and ordered published this ninth day of September 1955.

Robert F. Brevitz Chairman Clifford Ketcham Secretary

Countersigned: Gerald E. Eddy Director of Conservation 13

(Annual republication required by statute of order previously adopted by the Conservation Commission.)

State of Michigan - Order of the Conservation Commission - Regulating Fishing in North Branch of AuSable River, Crawford County.

The Conservation Commission, by authority of Act 230, P. A. 1925 as amended, hereby orders that, for a period of five years from January 1, 1956, it shall be unlawful in the North Branch of the AuSable River downstream from the north line of Crawford County to fish with any lure except artificial flies, or to take or possess any trout less than nine inches in length, or to take or possess more than five trout in any combination, but not more than ten pounds and one trout.

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Milkwood

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tured encyclopedias.

But you're right, we cannot send our old Christmas trees abroad for firewood. We need to give presents to our loved ones, and, of course, we'll need more egg nog than ever this year to help us forget, and everyone sends greeting cards.

So what can we do? You and I? That's for every \$10 we spend on ourselves, we sent \$1.00 away to help. With one dollar the United Nations can give 95 starving children a glass of milk for 7 days. With another dollar they can vaccinate 100 children against tuberculosis. One dollar sent to Boys' Town will buy a present for a troubled orphan. One dollar sent to the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People will help the fight that, if lost, will let America owe a dollar to the Cancer Fund could win that fight. There are literally hundreds of causes, all more worthy than yours and mine. They're our people's needs. They need our help. I could not sit in church Christmas Eve if I'd not done my share. We have love and we have security to spare. They have neither. Christmas is for everyone, not just Americans.

Sincerely yours Phineas Thaddeus Appleby

Mercy Hospital News

Grayling

AMERICAN LEAGUE

1 Millikin Cons. 30
2 Drewrys 27
3 Jim's Conco 27
4 Spike's Keg 27
5 Uncle Al 30
6 Smiggins Diggins 27
7 Peterson Hdwe. - Lbr. 27
8 National BOH 26 1/2
9 Barlings 24
10 Vita Boy 23
11 Bear Archery 23
12 Wharf's Dinner Bell 23
13 Johnson Oil Co. 22
14 St. Mary's 18
15 Wells, H. Sales 15
16 Hull's Hotel 15

Team high series - Vita Boy 2590; Drewrys, 2510; Barlings, 2442.

Team high single - Drewrys, 990; Smiggins, Diggins, 926; Vita Boy, 881; Barlings, 871.

Ind. high series - Kelly, 578; Dietrich, 558; Failing, 548.

Ind. high series - Kelly 221; Bidvia, 214; Malonen, 212.

Ind. high five averages - Bills, 178; Dietrich, 175; Kelly, 171; Roper, 168; Sorenson, 168.

G. H. Q.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Dec. 6, 1956

1 Nelson Oil Co. 38 1/2
2 Wharf's Dinner Bell 31
3 Cadillac Overall 30
4 Cadillac's Jack Lager 29 1/2
5 Goebel's 22
6 Stevenson & Brown 28
7 Blatz 26
8 Janssen's Plumbing 26
9 B C D 25
10 Pfeiffers 23 1/2
11 Radio Shop 23
12 Wayside Inn 23
13 Hendershots 22
14 Strohs 21 1/2
15 Bear Archery 21 1/2
16 Black & White 20 1/2

Team high series - Cadillac Overall, 2568; Pfeiffers, 2538; Wayside Inn, 2435.

Team high single - Cadillac Overall, 920; Pfeiffers, 891; Wayside Inn, 859.

Ind. high series - Sawyer, 578; Telesco, 568; Dean, 537.

Ind. high series - Trudeau, 229; Dean, 203; Sawyer 202.

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RECREATION LEAGUE

Dec. 5, 1956

1 Olsons 39 1/2
2 Marshalls Motel 32
3 Speedway "79" 29
4 Mt. Hope 29
5 Bear Archery 28
6 Fuel Gas 28
7 Sals Gals 25 1/2
8 Drewrys 23 1/2
9 Shopnagons Inn 23
10 Wharf's Dinner Bell Inn 23
11 Grayling Merc. 22
12 Lozons 22
13 Dingmans Tavern 20
14 Spike's Keg 17
15 Strohs 16 1/2
16 Smiggins Diggins 10

Team high single: Speedway 766, Drewrys 753, Bear Archery 753.

Team high series: Speedway 226, Drewrys 2163, Bear Archery 2110.

Ind. high single: G. Nielson 172, 194, E. Burch 193, J. Wakeley 181.

Ind. high series: G. Nielson 506, E. Burch 495, J. Hoffman 486.

NORTHWOOD LEAGUE

Dec. 7, 1956

1 Alley Kats 30
2 Wayside Inn 29
3 Ten Pin Pals 28
4 Plaza Bar 28
5 Top Taps 28
6 Black & White 27
7 Cornell Agency 25 1/2
8 Sorenson's IGA 24 1/2
9 Peterson Hdwe. 24
10 Bear Archery 24
11 Burns Hdwe. 24
12 Movers' Cabins 20
13 Carl's Beauty Shop 19
14 Forbes Motel 17
15 Mac's Drugs 16
16 Chevrolettes 15

Teams started rolled games on Monday night.

Ind. high series: S. Papendick 486, L. Gould 480, V. Peterson 467.

Ind. high single: V. Peterson 208, S. Papendick 201, W. LaGrow 170.

Team high series: Mac's 2068, Ten Pin Pals 2049, Peterson's 2037.

Team high single: Peterson's 763, Mac's 735, Ten Pin Pals 730.

January 1, 1957 deadline for individual sanctions. Contact Clara Sorenson for Friday night bowling.

Lovells Notes

By Mrs. Clarence Stillwagon

The Cheerful Givers members met last Thursday at their club room and planned their annual Christmas dinner which will be held at Lovells Town Hall Saturday evening, Dec. 22. The dinner will be served at 6 o'clock.

We are glad to know that Tom Morris and Roy Scott are home again from Mercy Hospital, Roy having undergone major surgery for treatment for his heart condition.

Frederic News

Frederic Bay Beach News

The following boys completed the requirements for the following promotion: They are First class Paul Bradstreet, Second class James Midkiff, Mike Alma, and John Cross. Merit Badges in Citizenship in the Nation and Home Repair by Billy Johnson and Freddie Allen.

We plan to take part in the Klondike Derby to be held in West Branch the first weekend in January. We are building a sled and if any one in Frederic has an old pair of skis about 5 1/2 or 6 feet long the scouts could use them for runners. If you have some, contact Leo Post.

Brownie Scouts

Fourteen girls met at the home of their Leader Mrs. Brown. Anna Harner was appointed Asst. President. Meeting called to order with the singing of Christmas Carols. Prayer was then offered by all.

Roll call was answered with "What I Want for Christmas."

The work for today was making Christmas ornaments to hang on our Christmas tree.

Girls all promised to come every evening of next week to finish State Flower Quilt and 21 Sock Dolls our Christmas projects.

Lunch was served by Beverly Demolins and Linda Palmer. Christmas Box Party will be held Dec. 15th at Town Hall at 2 p. m.

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to thank Dr. Henig, Sister Mary Beatrice, the nurses at the hospital, all my friends and the Junior Class for their cards and gifts during my recent stay.

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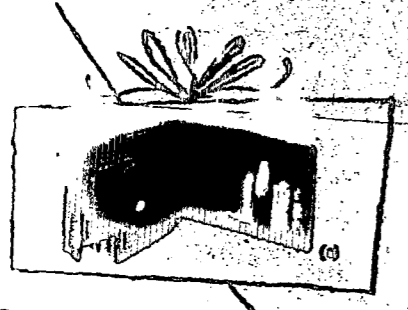
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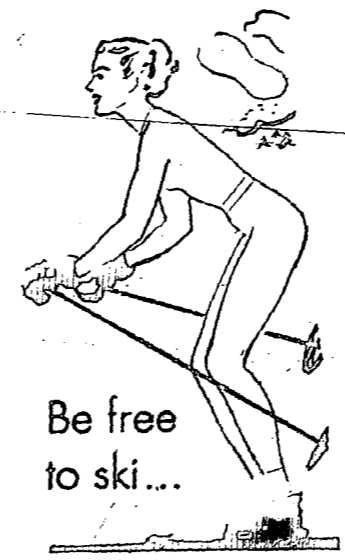
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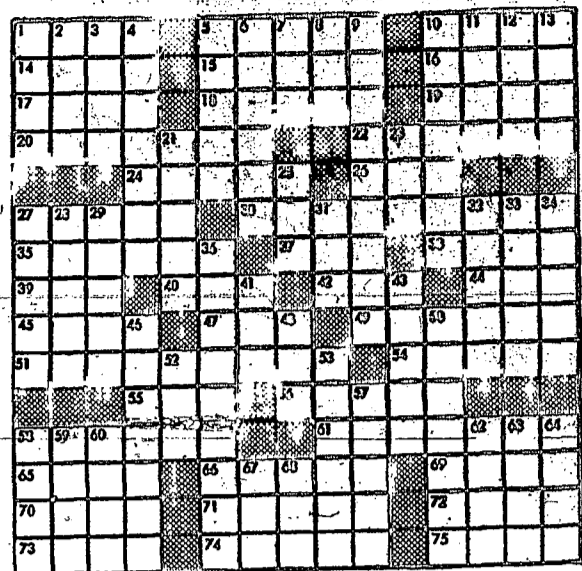


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1 Word of sorrow
2 To shine brightly
3 Surprised
4 Young lady
5 French compact
6 To spill over
7 Coin of India
8 Growing out
9 Feminine name
10 Was springing
11 Chatterbox
12 English handball
13 Barburian
14 Athletic contest
15 One who calls for sympathy
16 Turn inside out
17 Vast ago
18 Narrow opening
19 Seine
20 Mineral spring
21 Bismarck
22 Native metals
23 Wing
24 Country of Europe
25 Astronaut
26 Feminine name

DOWN
1 Old French coin
2 Additional
3 Trade
4 Skin of certain fish
5 Quipped to answer
6 Cause of frost
7 To strike out
8 Note (mus.)
9 Let it stand
10 Colors
11 Unusually
12 Bushy
13 Feminine name
14 No name
15 Reaching vessel
16 Down
17 Turkish title (pl.)
18 Loose raveling
19 Wild buffalo of India
20 Inexperienced
21 Disembarked
22 Topaz hummingbird
23 Large animals
24 Body of land
25 Cut lengthwise
26 Hercules won her hand in archery contest

Answer to Puzzle No. 425

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Clerks Learn 'Hidden Costs' Are Dangerous

By Mrs. Florence I. Klonk, Clerk Mason County Road Commission
The meeting held at Shoppenagons Inn in Grayling, on November 29th, by the Northern Road Commission Clerks' Association, was one of the most successful and informative meetings of the nine held thus far. Forty-six persons were present, with 23 counties represented. Special guests were Commissioners Richmond and Corbett, and Superintendent Hull of the host county; Manager James Allen of Alpena; Engineers Rod Meade of Isosco, T. B. Reynolds of Charlevoix, William Herman of Leelanau, Irving Fry of Kalkaska, and L. W. Millard of Gladwin; also Superintendents Wayne Welch of Otsego and Oscar Iverson of Muskegon. A new comrade in the clerks' roster was Frank Baukus, Clerk from Saginaw County. Retired Clerk George Hamlin of Grand Traverse County was also present, as was "about-to-retire" Fern Lincoln of Benzie County, who plans to be Florida-bound in a short time, but promised to return to the fold at every opportunity.

Chairman Marion Halter, Clerk of Manistee County, and her chauffeur, Yours Truly, having encountered hazardous driving conditions in their own respective counties, made a late appearance to find there had been a re-shuffling of officials to conduct the meeting, but with big sighs of relief, hastened unshuffling found all in their rightful places once again. Recounting his first trip to Grayling as a ballplayer in the days when trains were the only means of long distance transportation, and this, his second trip, as a guest speaker, was Leonard E. "Secretary" from Kent County. A man who knows his subject and how to present it well is a rare combination, but Mr. Kaufman is one of those lucky individuals, and gave a very fine summation of equipment rental reports, from the preparation, the submission, the selection of a subcommittee from the appointed equipment rental group, screening of the reports by the subcommittee, compilation of all reports by the State-Highway Department, the ultimate survey of costs, rates, and adjustments by combined forces of the county committee and the State Highway Department, right up to the publishing of the new rates in July of each year.

Mr. Kaufman stressed the importance of these reports and appealed to the commissioners, superintendents and engineers present, to give their clerical department all possible co-operation in assembling complete information. He mentioned that adequate personnel should be provided, and again pointed out the major necessity of having a stock-clerk.

Secretary Russell read to the assembly a note of thanks from Mrs. Ethel Larsen and Mrs. Eva Chaboudy, Mecosta County clerks who were injured on September 27th on their way to the Boyne Falls meeting. Mrs. Chaboudy is back at work, but Mrs. Larsen is still confined to the hospital with a knee injury. The entire group extends best wishes for continued improvement and an early return to their midst.

If the clerks of this northern group appear a little green with envy, blame it on two recent visits to new road commission offices. This time an invitation was accepted to visit the newly completed office and stockroom of the Crawford County Road Commission, and they are to be congratulated on this fine addition to their official headquarters. The offices are pleasant, very well-lighted, efficiently arranged, and painted that cheerful and restful green hue so popular now. In moving into his new office, Mr. Russell was in hopes of discarding some old records to conserve the new space for the current ones. However, request for authority to dispose of old records brought forth a reply which consisted of two pages of quotations from the law books, but gave no definite solution to the County records disposal problem. However, the State Highway Department allows disposal of old report copies, etc., after their final audit is made, and no more damage has been received by a road commission.

The new Crawford County stockroom is well-planned, fitted with plenty of bins and shelves and already has that most important factor, a stock-clerk, who is anxiously awaiting installation of the actual records and stock on hand.

William Ripatte, Clerk of Missaukee County Road Commission, extended an invitation to the group to convene at Lake City next January 24th, 1957. University was unanimously accepted. Since December 1, 1956, saw the opening of a new building here also, the clerks will get a look at a third new office and the Green Eyes will again open wide and beam anxiously at the fortunate personnel of Missaukee County.

FORESTRY SOCIETY MEETS IN GRAYLING

The semi-annual meeting of the lower Michigan Chapter of the Society of American Foresters convened at Shoppenagons Inn Friday and Saturday. A group of some seventy-five foresters from private industry, the University of Michigan, Michigan State University, and the state and federal agencies were in attendance.

The Friday afternoon program consisted of a business meeting and the presentation of present and anticipated wood requirements; also availability in lower Michigan. Following a banquet in the evening Fred Bear presented the program.

On Saturday the group enjoyed a trip through the Bear Archery Company, the AuSable Souvenir Works at Frederic and also visited plantation management areas.

23 Years Ago

(Continued from Page Three)

College of Medicine, and senior House surgeon of Harper Hospital of that city, is now a resident of our village, and associated with Dr. S. N. Insley.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Chalker were in town last Saturday attending the regular meeting of the W. R. C. and G. A. R. They are always welcome visitors.

Petition for citizenship filed to be heard at the next term of circuit court of Crawford County, January 9, 1911: Gustave Engel, Grayling; Lauritz E. Rasmussen, Grayling; Hyacinthe Charron, Grayling; Miles Andreas Johnson, Maple Forest; Archie Paul Charon, Grayling; Walter Hanson of Grayling; Edward James Bronnan, Frederic; Frederick Haselwood Ferguson, Deward; Charles Sidney Barber, Frederic; Peter Rasmussen, Grayling; Seward Holm, Grayling.

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The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.
At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grayling in said County, on the 20th day of November A. D. 1956, Present, HONORABLE BEULAH NEAFIE, Judge of Probate.
In the Matter of the Estate of James A. Sherman, Deceased, Ella Vincent having filed in said Court her petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to Charles E. Moore or to some other suitable person.
It is Ordered, That the 21st day of December, A. D. 1956, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.
It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once each week for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.
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Danish Supper Serves 200

The Danish supper served by the Junior Ladies Aid of the Grayling Evangelical Lutheran church in the basement of Danes hall on Thursday last week drew a crowd of about 200, to whom the Junior Aid wish to extend their thanks.

The kitchen committee was co-chairmaned by Mrs. William MacLeod, Mrs. Charles Mochter and Mrs. Donald Jansen. Kitchen workers included Mesdames Camilla Sorenson, Herluf Sorenson, Ed Sorenson, Don Sorenson, A. L. Roberts, William Krage, Ben Garland, Minnie Hartley, Charles Tinker, Floyd SanCartier, William LaGrow and Miss Sue LaGrow.

The dining-room committee was chairmaned by Mrs. Robert Sorenson. She was assisted by Bob Houghton, Charles Garland, Miss Judy Sorenson, Mrs. Elsie Rasmussen, Misses Sandra SanCartier, Karen SanCartier and Karen Knudsen.

The bazaar on the first floor of the hall was in charge of Misses Margrethe and Olga Nielsen and Mrs. Bertha Dannenberg. Tickets were handled by the Rev. Harold Knudsen.

G. H. S. Band News

On Saturday, November 24th, the band attended the Michigan State-Kansas State football game at East Lansing.

We arrived in East Lansing around 11 A. M. We ate and had plenty of time before the game. Afterward we ate in Alma and returned home at 9 P. M.

We all enjoyed the trip very much, especially watching the famous Michigan State Marching Band.

We are busy practicing songs and marches for our basketball games, having already played for one, we are preparing for our next home game which is with Manicella on December 11th.

Now that the football season is over, we welcome Charles Garland back with us.

Sue Bidvia, Band Reporter

BITS O' TALK

Mrs. Albert Lewis and her brother Fred Long left Saturday to spend the winter in Florida. Max Davenport of Marysville, who has spent the past several weekends at his cabin here, had with him his sons Ted, of Mt. Pleasant, Bruce, Bill and Tim O'Boyle. The four boys filled the deer licenses, the latter three for the first time.

Ray Bacheller of Roscommon who has been teaching at Grayling High School in place of Wesley Kumpulainen, was given a farewell party by the school faculty and staff on Thursday, Nov. 28th. It was a coffee hour and get-together in the afternoon, at the school. Mr. Bacheller finished his teaching on Friday, Nov. 30th.

FOR MEN ONLY! Remember fellows on Thursday night, December 20th, it is Stag Night at the Pink Lady. We'll be open til 10 p. m., for your convenience and it's for male customers only.

Mrs. Harry Reynolds and son Mr. and Mrs. Richard Reynolds of Midland drove up to visit her mother, Mrs. William MacNeven, Wednesday evening of last week, and to wish her a happy birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Layman of Detroit were here to visit the latter's sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hemmingsen, from Monday until last Thursday.

John Bruun was in Detroit from Tuesday until Saturday, on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Roberts daughter Jean and son Mike, spent Saturday in Grand Rapids.

Dr. and Mrs. Ed Rodda and family left Wednesday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Rodda, in Ferndale, for a couple of days.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Stencil and family left last week to spend some time in Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.

To taxpayers in Maple Forest Township, I am living at 709 Park St. in Grayling. Will take in taxes there, or send by mail to Route 1, Frederic, Mich. Pearl M. Babbitt, Treasurer.

Mr. and Mrs. John G. Knight left last week to spend the winter months at Pompano Beach, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Jackson left last week for Dania, Fla., for the colder winter months.

Mrs. Richard Hale and children Rickey and Marney of Detroit arrived Wednesday last to visit Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Jensen.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Jensen entertained at a family Christmas party Friday night. Their guests were, besides the Richard Hales, Mr. and Mrs. William Widig and children Kim and Kyla, and Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Henretta of Gaylord, and Mr. and Mrs. Seales Vandenberg and Billy.

Her diamond can be remounted while you wait at Davis Jewelry.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Madsen and daughters Carmen and Janet left Wednesday of last week to make their home in Muskegon Heights.

A building permit was issued in November to Willard Cornett, for a 24 x 24 ft office building on Lake Street.

Donald Plagens, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arno Plagens of Maple Forest, was promoted from private to specialist, 3rd class, to take effect December first. He made the promotion in three months, about half the usual time, we are told. Donald was also given a birthday party November 3rd by the officers under whom he serves.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Cunningham left Sunday to spend the winter months in St. Petersburg, Fla. They April in about a week in making the trip.

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Mrs. Melvin Marshall entertained her bowling team members by taking them to the Danish supper Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hodge and the former's mother Mrs. George Hodge of Lewiston left Sunday a week ago for Indian Rocks, Florida, where they will enjoy sunshine during the winter.

Terry Nielson is in Ft. Lauderdale, Florida, for the rest of the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wyss and children Debbie and David left Wednesday of last week to spend until April in Florida. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wakeley are staying at the Wyss home until their return.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Haslem and family and Miss Jan Mathewson of Sault Ste. Marie visited Mrs. Haslem's parents, the Earl Mathewsons, weekend before last. Mike Mathewson of Bay City, accompanied by Miss Donna Marsh, visited them on Monday of last week.

The Women's Department of the E.L.D.S. church met last Thursday at the home of Mrs. Earl Mathewson.

Mrs. Roy Johnston entertained Mr. and Mrs. Burton McWilliams at a family birthday dinner for last week for Dania, Fla., for the colder winter months.

Mrs. Leonard Allison entertained a few ladies and their children at dinner last Thursday evening.

Mrs. Foryst Barber and son Jerry were in Traverse City Thursday.

Mrs. Edward Gierke and Mrs. Ole Williamson spent Wednesday of last week in Gaylord, to visit the former's aunt, Mrs. Chris Pich.

The Matilda Bauman Circle of the M. M. church met at the home of Mrs. Walter Truettner last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dawson were called to Caro Wednesday of last week due to the death of Mrs. Dawson's sister, Mrs. Sena Larsen. She succumbed suddenly at Harper Hospital in Detroit where she was convalescing after an operation. Mrs. Larsen was born March 31, 1884, at Manistee. She was married in Grayling to Andrew Dawson. They moved to Caro from Johannesburg in 1926, when Mr. Dawson purchased the Caro Hardware.

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Mrs. Harold Long, Mrs. Ed Gierke and Mrs. Clara Madsen were in Traverse City last Thursday.

Alvin Moore was in St. Johns and Lansing Sunday and Monday of last week.

The Richard Wakeleys have moved for the winter. Their new quarters are across the road from the Whispering Pines, on M-76 south of Grayling.

Grange Notice

Crawford Grange 934 will hold its annual Christmas party Monday, December 17th, at 8 p. m. The program is being planned by Lecturer Cynthia Knecht. Each patron is asked to bring a 50c gift, as usual. Lunch will be served by the November and December committees. Grangers and friends are invited.

Lake Margrethe Water Level

(Information furnished by U. S. Geological Survey)
Period of record, Nov. 12, 1942 to date:
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Mrs. Van Smith was chairman of the luncheon committee. She was assisted by Mrs. Ernest Larson, Mrs. William Kinkert, Mrs. Phil Smith, and Mrs. Lester Welch.

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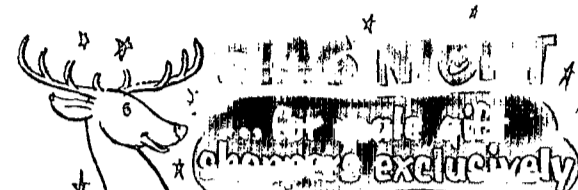
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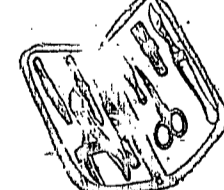
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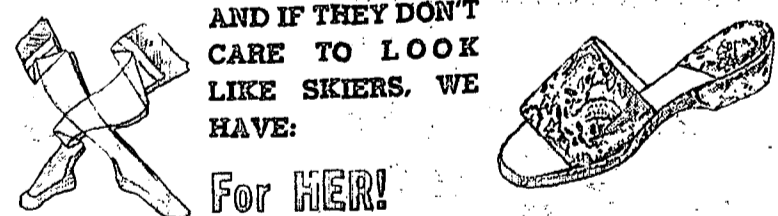


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School Annexation Developing Hot Arguments In Many Parts Of State

NOT ARGUMENTS ABOUT school annexation are developing in many parts of the state. The second advantage is less tangible, although more important. Party philosophy is often expressed through judicial opinions. While all judges run on non-partisan tickets to conform with state election laws, they can be identified with one of the political parties.

Previously, things ran rather quietly. The better developed school district operated a high school with a capacity for more students than it numbered within its own borders. The less populated districts, however, had no room for students from outside.

Recently districts with schools found themselves in a new situation, increased enrollments from within their area left no room for students from outside.

Districts with no schools now have no place to send their children; are faced with prospects of building expensive structures for relatively few students.

To help remedy this, a law was passed which requires that some 1,100 closed districts (those having no schools) join with a nearby operating school system by July 1, 1957. Alternatively, the County Board of Education will designate new district lines.

State Superintendent of Public Instruction Clair L. Taylor states that his office is receiving notification of annexations at an average of one per day. Remaining however, are about 500 districts which must take action before the end of June.

In some of these there is bitter controversy about what steps to take. The state revised the formula which determines tuition when a student is sent to a neighboring district. The sending unit must pay substantially more than the receiving unit.

The Supreme Court has ruled that a system need not accept tuition students. As school population grows, more and more schools are expected to close their doors to outsiders.

The annexation dilemma amounts to this: Districts with inadequate schools are faced on the one hand with laws requiring that children be educated in the other with a court decision that neighboring districts need not accept outside students.

The only course is to consolidate with other communities or be annexed.

A high school in every district is the aim of the State Board of Education. If a district does not have or cannot economically support a high school, state officials must see that it joins with one which does.

Actually, the state school system has moved rapidly toward this goal. Twenty years ago there were about 6,000 school districts in Michigan. Now there are 3,300. And in the next six months another 500 will disappear as a result of the law.

Educators point out that the law merely hastens the process. The greatest single factor in school annexation is the rising population and the growing need to provide expensive but necessary school facilities to children in Michigan.

A JUICY POLITICAL PRIZE will fall to Governor Williams Dec. 1. On that date some 20 Supreme Court Justices, Circuit and Probate Judges must express their willingness to retire within 30 days or forfeit all rights to retirement benefits. Power to fill these vacancies is in the hands of the governor.

Judges affected are those who began their present term after reaching 70 years of age. In a recent interpretation of the Michigan Judicial Retirement Act, Attorney General Thomas M. Kavanagh ruled that these judges must give 30 days notice by Nov. 30 if they intend to step down from the bench. Those who continue to hold their positions lose pension rights.

Two-fold advantages accrue to Williams. First—the opportunity to appoint deserving Democrats to high judicial posts. Since these judicial openings are important positions, it is probable that the governor can name men now holding lesser posts. This in turn will create new openings at lower levels, and a series

of "chain-reaction" appointments are likely to follow.

The second advantage is less tangible, although more important. Party philosophy is often expressed through judicial opinions. While all judges run on non-partisan tickets to conform with state election laws, they can be identified with one of the political parties.

For the first time, Williams will have a majority of Democrats in most of the state judicial system.

An appealing decision must be made by Supreme Court Justice Emerson R. Boyles. That court is evenly split between Republicans and Democrats. It is a Republican. A Democratic replacement will tip the scales in Williams' favor.

Other Circuit Judges over 70 include Frank L. DeLoe, Pontiac; Leonard D. Vardier, Grand Rapids; Max E. Neal, Manistee; and Charles H. Hayden, Lansing.

Bits O' Talk

Dick Souders is home from MSU East Lansing for the between-term and Christmas vacations, to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Souders.

John Latusek and his father, Thomas Latusek of Johannesburg spent Thursday and Friday in Auburn Heights, visiting John's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Israel.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Burch and daughter Marilyn drove to Lansing Tuesday to pick up their son Jim, who will spend the between-term and Christmas vacations at home. Paul Berry, also a student at MSU, accompanied them home.

Long's Market will be closed all day this coming Saturday, December 15.

Mr. and Mrs. Esbern Hanson arrived in St. Petersburg, Fla., Friday to spend several weeks before going to Ft. Lauderdale for the winter.

Mrs. Burton McWilliams was hostess at a surprise birthday party for her sister, Miss Nancy Maryle, Tuesday night of last week. Prizes were won during the evening by Nancy, the guest of honor, by Misses Judy Sorenson, Mickey Mikesell, Penny Hull and Maryle. A beautifully decorated birthday cake featured the refreshments served, and Nancy received some lovely gifts.

Tom Lamm, of MSU returned home Sunday night to spend the holidays with his parents, the Fred Lamm, after spending the weekend in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. William Mosher were the hosts at a family birthday dinner for Mrs. Mosher's daughter, Mrs. William Werley, on Sunday. Also present were Mr. Werley and their two sons, Mrs. Mosher's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Johnson, her brother, Nelson Johnson, and Mrs. Sara Grayson. Martelle Loh has been employed at the Keyport, Clippert and Henig Clinics for about a month now.

Everett Bidvia of Muskegon Heights visited his father, Herman Bidvia, over the weekend.

Roy Trudgen attended a hotel meeting at Iron Mountain over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bovee and children visited the former's father, Don, at Tawas City hospital Sunday.

Mrs. Florence Borchers returned Wednesday after visiting at the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Sojka, for the past month. She stayed for the Sojka children during Barbara and her brother Don's recent trip to Washington state to attend Ann Holm's wedding last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wharf entertained the three Wharf bowling teams at dinner Monday night.

Robert Lovely, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lovely, visited his parents over the weekend. Bob returned to CMU at Mr. Pleasant Monday morning in company with Derek McEvers and Roger Kessler who were also home from college for the weekend.

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Fifty members of the Retired Policemen's Club met for a Christmas party and dinner at the Sportsmen's Hall Sunday afternoon. A turkey dinner was served at tables decorated with Christmas hats, candles and bells. There was community singing to enter-



Frederic Eagles Pick Up Fourth Conference Win

The Frederic High Eagles currently leading the Antrim County D. League rolled easily over a weak Rapid City team last Friday night by a 67 to 19 score. The Eagles, winning their fourth straight conference game, seem to be on their way to a conference championship.

The Eagles took a 22 to 2 lead in the first quarter, last Friday night and increased it to 37 to 10 by halftime. Although Frederic coach Dick Ebert put his three players in the game about halfway in the second period, Frederic hit for 12 and 18 points in the final two periods while Rapid City scored 5 and 4.

Wayne Winston and Bob Pratt with 14 points each, paced the Eagles with Larry Baynham adding 13, Alfie Hummel 10, Louis Johnson 6, Bruce Welch and Paul Rolfe 4 each and Bill Johnson 2. Marriage with 11 was high for Rapid City.

The preliminary game was a Junior High School affair and again Frederic won handsily by a 31 to 19 score. The Frederic team hit for 14, 1, 2 and 14 in the four quarters while the Rapid City Juniors got 2, 8, 4 and 5. Ron Mertes with 8 was high for Frederic with Jerry Gabriel, Jack Smith and Dan Newberry each adding 6, Harold Partello 3 and Fred Turner 2.

The Eagles will face a Fife Lake team at Fife Lake this Friday in another conference game. A girls game will furnish the preliminary action.

Last Tuesday night, the Frederic Eagles traveled to Ellsworth to take on the always tough Black Lancers in an Antrim County D. League game. The Eagles jumped off to a 25 to 13 first quarter lead

and held the advantage throughout the game to win 64 to 50. The Frederic boys turned in a tremendous game and special praise must go to Paul Rolfe, a freshman who scored two key baskets. The Eagles were a little upset at some of the officiating but showed good sportsmanship in not letting it bother them and going on to win. The win gave the Eagles a three win, no loss record in league play. Bob Pratt with 12 points and Bruce Welch with 10 paced the Frederic scoring thrust with Wayne Winston and Alfie Hummel getting in the double figures with 12 and 10 respectively. Larry Baynham and Paul Rolfe added 4 each and Louis Johnson 1. Arnold Klooster with 13 topped cers scoring.

The Eagle reserves in the game took a 41 to 27 lead at the hands of the reserves. The little Eagle 12 to 5 first quarter lead held a slim 19 to 18 hal advantage. However, they the last half.

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